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DEPARTMENT OF POLICE

No. 5

7 January 2011

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 136(1) OF THE FIREARMS CONTROL ACT: DESTRUCTION OF FIREARMS

By virtue of the powers vested in me by section 136(1) of the Firearms Control Act, 2000 (Act No. 60 of 2000), I, Bheki Hamilton Cele, National Commissioner of the South African Police Service, in my capacity as Registrar of Firearms as contemplated in section 123 of the said Act, hereby give notice that the State intends to destroy all firearms that were voluntarily surrendered to or forfeited to the State between the period 5 January 2010 to date of publication of this notice.

In terms of section 136(2) of the Firearms Control Act, 2000, any person who has a valid claim to such firearm may, within 21 days after the date of publication of this notice, make representations to me as to why such firearms should not be destroyed. The representations must contain full information of the firearm, the owner of the firearm and the police station where the firearm and ammunition were voluntarily surrendered or forfeited. Any such presentations must, within the stipulated period, reach me at the following address:

By Post: The National Commissioner (Registrar)
South African Police Service
Private Bag x 811
PRETORIA
0001

By Hand: The National Commissioner (Registrar)
Veritas Building
Volkstem Lane
PRETORIA
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